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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **SHIMIZU, et al.**

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Examiner: **Daniel A. HESS**

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For: **PURCHASED COMMODITY ACCOMMODATING AND TRANSPORTING
APPARATUS HAVING ELEMENTS FOR PURCHASING A COMMODITY FIXED TO
A TRANSPORTABLE ACCOMMODATION SECTION (AS AMENDED)**

RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

May 27, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated **February 27, 2003**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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